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| In re Patent Application of     | ) | <b>MAIL STOP AFTER FINAL</b> |
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| Jae-Hong KIM                    | ) | Group Art Unit: 1655         |
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| Application No.: 10/551,820     | ) | Examiner: M. L. MCCORMICK    |
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| Filed: February 10, 2006        | ) | Confirmation No.: 3987       |
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| For: COMPOSITION FOR PREVENTING | ) |                              |
| OR TREATING ALLERGIC DISEASE    | ) |                              |
| USING BLACK RICE EXTRACT AND    | ) |                              |
| ITS THERAPEUTIC USE             | ) |                              |

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

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Sir:

In complete response to the final Office Action mailed on June 9, 2008, Applicants submit herewith an Amendment and Reply and a Petition for Extension of Time. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: